

ALLIES CRUSHED BY OVERPOWERING NUMBERS

British and French Surrounded But They Are Fighting Still

Allies In Danger Of Extermination

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, August 28.—French and English northern armies on the Sambre and Meuse are surrounded on all sides by the Kaiser's troops and German cavalry has reached Ostend, according to a wireless from the German foreign office to the German embassy here today.

GERMAN CRUISER SUNK IN BATTLE WITH RUSSIANS

WIDE DISPARITY IN TWO ACCOUNTS OF THE SINKING OF A SHIP.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, August 28.—An official account of the destruction of the German cruiser Magdeburg states: "Two Russian cruisers sent to seek the Magdeburg in the Gulf of Finland found her and opened fire. The Germans replied to the fire, which soon ceased. Russian shells destroyed the ship's funnels and caused an explosion which shattered her bows. Some officers and the crew were taken prisoners."

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—The Exchange Telegraph dispatch from St. Petersburg says it is officially stated that two German warships shelled and sank the cruiser Magdeburg after being stranded near Gulf of Finland to prevent its falling into the hands of Russians. One hundred and two of the crew, including the captain, perished and twenty-one were wounded under the fire of Russian warships that dashed from the gulf.

ESTIMATED LOSS PLACED AT 60,000

VICTIMS AT CHARLEROI NUMBERED BY TENS OF THOUSANDS.

(By International News Service.)
PARIS, August 28.—A wounded Zouave officer who arrived here today estimated the German losses in the three day battle of Charleroi at 60,000 killed and wounded. "The German artillery produced terrific explosions," he said, "but did little damage. The French artillery was most deadly. Whole ranks of Germans were mowed down by shrapnel."

FRENCH GOVERNMENT PREPARES TO CHARGE

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—A letter received from Paris by a high government official states preparations are being made to move the French government to Bordeaux. The name of the recipient of this letter, for obvious reasons, cannot be given in this dispatch.

BELGIAN CONGO ATTACKED.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, August 28.—Belgian Congo in Central Africa has been attacked by German troops.

Stock Situation Has Cleared Up And Liquidation Sales Are Over

The following message received this morning speaks for itself:
SAN FRANCISCO, August 27.—To the Bonanza: Although not concurring with my personal views, the great majority of the members of the board are of the opinion that the exchange should remain open. At any rate, a very serious condition of congested deliveries has been relieved. Accounts between broker and broker, and broker and client adjusted; also it is now possible to get accounts in something like normal shape and to ascertain the solvency of brokers both here and in the east and loans can be made and borrowed stock returned. From present indications the market is in a healthy condition and there is no indication of any extensive liquidation. It would take very little to advance prices and there is some investment support.

THOMAS S. ROBINSON,
President San Francisco Stock Exchange.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1914	1913
5 a. m.	52	61
9 a. m.	58	69
12 noon	68	76
2 p. m.	74	76

NEW GOLD CAMP NORTH OF TOWN NETS \$84 FOR ONE TON

TON OF ORE TAKEN OUT AT TEN FEET NETS \$84 FOR THE SHIPPERS.

North Tonopah is going to make a live gold camp, in the opinion of some of the best known prospectors who have been long enough around Tonopah to be known as reliable men. Last week the Bonanza related the story of the rush to the district four miles north of here and just one mile north of the steam laundry. This dealt with locations and the preliminary work, but in the course of a single week the development has been of such a nature that there is little doubt but that there are the makings of a gold camp within sight of the big silver camp. This week Talley & Shipley, the original locators, shipped a ton of rock that netted them \$84. The shipment was taken out in sinking a ten-foot hole and the entire pay streak was shipped without any attempt at sorting. The ledge measures about two feet wide in the shaft and the indications are so favorable that S. K. Jarvis, the well known prospector and father of the Fairview district, has taken a lease and started a small force of men. He says he can get colors all around the pan at any point in the hole he has sunk to a depth of ten feet and he is confident that the values will hold out with depth.

MAIL CONTRACTS BY AUTO TRUCKS

WITTENBERG PLACES A LIGHT TRUCK ON THE ROUND MOUNTAIN RUN.

Charles Wittenberg has been awarded the contract for hauling first and second class mail from Manhattan to Round Mountain at the rate of 45 cents a hundred for third and fourth class matter. From Round Mountain to Millet he will carry the parcel post and at the rate of 55 cents a hundred, while Contractor Berg will take care of the first and second class matter. The contract is for four years and will take effect on September first. Mr. Wittenberg also carries the full mail of all classes between Tonopah and Manhattan. The entire service will be carried by auto trucks, the delivery to outer points being by the light Reo trucks which were lately added to the Wittenberg stable.

Destroyers Fight Until One Sinks

(By Associated Press.)
ROME, August 28.—The captain of a steamer arriving at Brindisi from Corfu today reports witnessing a battle between Austrian and British destroyers and that the Austrian vessel was sunk after ten minutes' fighting. The British boat returned safely to Corfu.

ACT OF HEROISM BRANDS A MAN BEYOND DISPUTE

OLD TIMER OF MINERAL COUNTY WILL CARRY SCAR TO HIS GRAVE.

Sam Kelso, auditor of Mineral county, was in Tonopah yesterday looking up old time friends gathered in a residence of forty years on the desert, most of which time was spent in old Esmeralda county when Hawthorne was the busiest little burg in the state of Nevada.

Mr. Kelso is a miner with a reputation for courage and nerve that few can equal. He does not talk about any one particular circumstance of his early days, but his friends never tire of telling the story of how he saved the life of his partner, although in so doing he jeopardized his own. As a proof of the story, it may be mentioned that Mr. Kelso bears a deep scar on the head, directly over the right eye, that tells of a terrific blow which nearly cost him his life. The occurrence happened at the old Cook mine above Marietta, 27 years ago, when Kelso and a partner were sinking a winze. Kelso was at the windlass and had almost brought a bucket of ore to the top when a rock fell from overhead and struck his hand. The blow released Kelso's hand and the bucket started back. In a flash, the injured man, forgetting all pain, thought only of his partner in the narrow winze who would certainly be crushed to a jelly by the bucket of ore dropping. Kelso made a rush for the handle of the windlass and throwing his weight succeeded in stopping the descent of the loaded bucket. In diving for the handle Kelso was struck on the head by the heavy iron, but he managed to hang on although he was bordering on unconsciousness. There he hung like grim death. He lost power of speech and his partner called to him several times to learn why the bucket remained stationary in the shaft. Not receiving a reply, the man below came up. As he climbed over the bucket he felt something trickling down his face. He thought it was water, but when it came to an examination on top he found he was bathed in the blood of his partner, as the vital fluid poured from a huge gash in Kelso's head and streamed down the shaft. Kelso's injury was attended to and he was back at work next day. The first evil effects of the wound did not become apparent for two years, when he suffered a severe attack, and physicians said it was due to the brain having been compressed by the blow. Trephining was urged, but it was not deemed safe to operate after the skull had been healed up so long, and nothing in the way of a surgical operation was performed.

Last year Mr. Kelso, while working at a typewriter in his office at the Hawthorne courthouse, experienced a sensation which he describes as identical with the experience when he clung to the windlass to save his partner from death. He said the pain shot through his head and he relapsed into partial insensibility and did not revive for several hours.

JONES OF TONOPAH ELECTED PRESIDENT

The freshman class of the University of Nevada held a short business meeting yesterday afternoon. Election of officers was held. The officers for the year 1914 are: President, "Windy" Jones, of Tonopah; vice-president, Tom Edsall, of Reno; treasurer, Joe Hill, of Susanville; secretary, Pauline Donlin, of Sparks; yell leader, Edgar Caffrey, of Reno.

REMOVAL FRENCH CAPITAL TO BORDEAUX IS NEXT STEP IN THE LINE OF RETREAT

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, August 28.—The western enemy everywhere is defeated and is in full retreat after nine days' fighting. This is officially announced. A serious reverse to the British arms on the French frontier also is announced. The English were defeated at Maubege, France, and the Franco-Belgian forces driven back toward Maubege. General Von Kluk has renewed his attack on Maubege, and threatens to surround the English army. Belgian attacks from Nancy and Antwerp were repulsed.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, August 28.—Field Marshall French, commanding the British expeditionary forces, has reported that his troops were attacked by five German army corps of cavalry, Wednesday, in the neighborhood of Cambrai and Lecateau. Casualties on both sides were heavy. The outcome of the battle is not stated. Cambrai and Lecateau are French towns ten miles southwest of Maubege. Description of the scene fits with the battle line indicated by Berlin. A correspondent at Lille says the advance guard of the Germans is now at Pont a Mareq and Marchiennes.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, August 28.—British marines in force are now in control of Ostend, says a dispatch. More are being landed. It is reported the Germans are within twenty miles of Ostend.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, August 28.—Colonel Osobichin, the Russian military attache, is quoted as having said that other Russian armies about to invade Prussia, after crossing the Vistula, would march straight to Berlin.

BRITISH STAND GREAT SHOCK OF GERMAN ATTACK

FIVE ARMY CORPS OF 200,000 MEN HURLED AGAINST THE ENGLISH.

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—Lord Asquith announced in parliament today that an engagement between the allied troops and Germans had taken place Wednesday. "There was loss on both sides," he said. "The British were exposed to attack by five German corps." A German corps numbers 40,000 men.

The premier stated the battle took place near Cambrai, 90 miles from Paris. The brunt of the attack was borne by two British cavalry divisions, the reserve guard of cavalry and the second division of the British second army corps. "Heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy," said the premier, "but the exact numbers are not known."

Official announcement was made today of the defeat of the English at Maubege in France. The war office stated the English troops were retreating, but the forces of General Von Kluk were in hot pursuit and threatening to surround them. Following details of German successes also were announced: "The troops led by General Von Buelow and General Von Hausen crushed the combined Franco-Belgian forces of about eight corps near Namur, along the Meuse and Sambre rivers. The battle lasted several days, but the Belgian and French were forced to flee and are now being pursued to eastward of Maubege. The attack on the British forces at Maubege was by Grand Duke Albrecht of Wurtemberg. The British troops resisted stoutly, but finally were driven across the Semoy river. The army led by Crown Prince Frederick William is advancing to capture the Meuse. The French troops are reported by the crown prince of Bavaria (Rupprecht) to be attacking his forces from the direction of Nancy and the south. The campaign in Vosges is being conducted by General Von Heeringen, who is pressing southward."

GERMAN BRUTALITY TOWARDS RED CROSS

(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, August 28.—France has submitted to the United States and other neutral governments a sworn statement that after an engagement at Moncel, a German officer fired on three Red Cross nurses, killing two and wounding the third.

TEN THOUSAND BRITISH SOLDIERS SLAIN IN BATTLE

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—An Ostend dispatch to the Chronicle says German soldiers who reached Courtrai declared 10,000 British soldiers were killed in the fighting at Belgium.

Cowardice of French Army Held Responsible for Defeat

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—Cowardice of a division of the Fifteenth corps of the French army was responsible for one of the setbacks received recently by the French operating in Lorraine, according to Le Matin, a copy of which reached here today. The article, which quotes Senator Gervan, states the division broke and ran before one German rushed. Their action compelled retreat all along the line, ruining the chances of the French generals to put into effect some of their carefully prepared strategy and discounting the French advance beyond River Seille on Delmo and Chateau Salines.

3,000,000 Germans Swallow France

(By International News Service.)
PARIS, August 28.—Germans have swallowed Longwy like a vast avalanche, pouring 3,000,000 through Luxembourg and the famous gap of Treves. Coming from Metz and Thionville, the army of Saar commanded by Crown Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, joined the Moselle army under Imperial

Late War News

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—Two German cruisers and a German torpedo boat destroyer sank a third cruiser which was set on fire in a naval engagement between English and German warships north of Cuxhaven, about fifty miles off the German coast, according to an official announcement.

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—Russian troops invading Germany have crossed the Vistula, according to a dispatch received here from St. Petersburg.

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, August 28.—Great Britain is sending colonial forces to help Belgians in the Congo.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, August 28.—Belgians report Louvain, province of Brabant, burned by Germans.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, August 28.—There is much enthusiasm over the news of British reverses at Maubege. German resentment against England for "having injected herself into the conflict" by calling in Japan is so deep that news of the surrender of the British army would be received with more satisfaction than tidings of the fall of Paris.

MINT BUYS SILVER TODAY IN SAN FRANCISCO

(Special to the Bonanza.)
WASHINGTON, August 28.—The director of the mint bought 200,000 ounces of silver for immediate delivery at the San Francisco mint. The price was 53 1-10 cents. Of this amount 100,000 ounces was from the Belmont.

RUSSIA CAPTURES LIMBERG AND NOW HOLDS GALICIA

CONTROL RAILWAY CENTER COMMANDING ENTIRE PROVINCE IN EAST.

(By International News Service.)
ST. PETERSBURG, August 28.—Advancing rapidly through Galicia, the Russian army attacked Limberg, the capital of the Austrian province of that name on the east, south and west, according to an official statement of the general staff today. Three Austrian army corps of 120,000 men are opposing the Russian army about Limberg, but the war office states "all goes well with the Russian troops."

Russian aeroplanes flying over Limberg are learning of the disposition of the forces there. The occupation of Tilsit is confirmed in another official announcement, which also stated a Russian force had defeated the Austrians at Tomasow in Russian Poland. The Russian army moving south in Galicia has beaten the Austrians at Monasteriysko, crossed the Dniester without difficulty.

Limberg is the most important military station of the Austrians in Galicia, as it controls all railroad lines in the eastern part of that province.

BOY SCOUTS HARVESTED CROPS IN SWITZERLAND

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, August 28.—Advices to the Swiss legation stated that in the country districts of Switzerland citizen guards have been organized to protect property. Boy scouts and school children are harvesting crops.

AUSTRIANS ASK U. S. TO TAKE CONTROL

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, August 28.—A Vienna report says Austria has declared war against Belgium, and the American minister to Belgium has been requested to take charge of Austrian interests.

TEMPERATURE REPORT
Highest temperature yesterday, 80; a year ago, 72.
Lowest temperature last night, 58; a year ago, 61.

JIM BUTLER FILES ANSWER IN THE WEST END SUIT

The replication of the Jim Butler Mining company to the answer of the West End Consolidated Mining company was filed this afternoon with the clerk of the district court by Hugh H. Brown, of counsel for the Butler. The replication is nothing more than a general denial of the West End claim to an apex.

FIRST ARREST FOR HOUNDING A FELON

APPLICATION OF A NEW LAW TO HELP OFFENDERS REFORM.

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, August 28.—The first arrest under the section of the penal code making it a misdemeanor to give information to an employer that an employee served time in prison, was made when Peter Wirt, sentenced to San Quentin for assault with a deadly weapon, complained that his roommate, Frederick Schroeder, had informed his landlady against him.

ATROCITIES ALLEGED AGAINST SERBIAN TROOPS

(By International News Service.)
ROME, August 28.—The Austrian embassy issued a statement today charging that Serbian troops beheaded and mutilated thousands of wounded Austrians.

KING OF ROUMANIA MAY ABDICATE SOON

(By Associated Press.)
ROME, August 28.—It is reported that King Charles of Roumania, is seriously ill, and it is rumored he will shortly abdicate.